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Steamer Mohawk to Be Rebuilt—James Jay Smith in Florida—Meeting of Reading Club.

The steamer Mohawk has been taken to the branch shipyard at Stockholm, where it will be rebuilt into a barkentine.

Chief Engineer James Morgan and his assistant, Herbert Morgan, have arrived from Camden, N. J., to take charge of the William H. Biddle.

Mrs. Annie Wilbur has returned from a visit to relatives in West New Brighton.

Cards from Rev. M. P. Hart, who is spending his vacation in Florida, tell of his improved health.

William Wheeler of Groton Long Point has purchased Wayside cottage near the entrance to the property and will move there next month.

J. J. Smith in Florida. James Jay Smith who is on a vacation in Florida, is expected to return the first of next week.

Captain Alexander Cox of the schooner Madeline Shirley Lord, has been entertaining his daughter, Miss Cox, at her home.

H. D. Scott has been entertaining his mother from Granville, N. Y.

Miss Grace Fitzpatrick has returned from a visit in Providence.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rodman have returned to Lafayette, after a visit to Mrs. Taber.

Returns to Texas. Henry Dawson who has been the guest of his sister, Mrs. Frank Howland, has returned to his home in Paris, Texas.

Mrs. William Patterson has returned from a visit in New Haven.

Representative F. E. Williams has returned to Hartford.

Shipped to Baltimore. William Smith has recently built two life boats for the Coastwise Shipbuilding Co., in Baltimore, Md., which he shipped yesterday.

Walter Ellis of Suffield school is at his home here during vacation.

Miss Laura Durfee who spent the winter in Medford, Mass., has returned home.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. James Whaley has been named Walter Alexander.

Reading Club Meets. The Reading club of the village met yesterday with Mrs. W. L. McDonald.

Mrs. H. S. Foster and daughter, Muriel, are visiting in Providence.

Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Patterson has moved to the Hill house in Main street.

Several members of Maple Leaf camp, Royal Neighbors of America, went to the convention in New Haven today.

Mrs. Walter Lewis has returned to her home in Massachusetts.

Mrs. Owen A. Williams has returned to her home in Westbury, N. Y.

Mrs. Ada Fitch, who spent the winter in Nantuxet, N. Y., has returned home.

A Passover appeal to the Jews of America to come at this time to the aid of the Jews in the war zones, has just been issued by the Central Relief committee, and has been distributed broadcast throughout the United States.

The appeal begins with the words, "Our people abroad can not work. They cannot earn money. They cannot feed their families. But they can starve! Will you let them?"

GERMAN FEDERAL COUNCIL FIXING FOOD PRICES Lower Prices For Cereals and Meats—Higher For Potatoes.

Berlin, March 19.—(By Wire) The German Federal Council has fixed lower prices for certain cereals and generally decreased prices for meats have been fixed by the Council.

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The average price of potatoes is increased by the list from four marks, fifty pfennigs per center (110 pounds) to 5 marks per center.

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DANIELSON

Death of James Perkins, in Dry Goods Business From 187 to '98—A Reader of The Bulletin Over 60 Years—Elmer W. Chapman Dies at Norwich Sanitarium—Increase in Postal Savings Deposits—Military Organization Not to Become Home Guard.

At his home on Maple street early Tuesday morning occurred the death of James Perkins, one of the oldest and most respected residents of Danielson, a retired business man and long and actively identified with public affairs of the community.

Mr. Perkins had been in failing health for more than a year, but was ill in bed only five days, the end coming very peacefully.

Mr. Perkins was born in Marlinton, Conn., August 18, 1836, and his boyhood days were spent at that place. He came to Danielson in February of 1867, and entered the employ of Edwin Ely as clerk in a dry goods establishment that was located on the site now occupied by St. James church.

He was made a partner in the business in 1880, the firm name becoming Ely and Company. In 1873 the business was removed to the more modern Hyde block on Main street and there it flourished and became known throughout all of this section as a store of reliability in every respect.

Upon the death of Mr. Ely, the senior partner, in 1883, Mr. Perkins became sole proprietor of the business, which continued to grow and maintain its enviable place and reputation among institutions of the kind until a disastrous fire wiped out the Hyde block in 1888. Upon the erection of a new structure on the site of the old block, in 1887, Mr. Perkins resumed business and at once it became prosperous. By this time it was known throughout the country as a business man of the highest integrity and the reputation of his store for carrying especially select lines was known near and far.

Firmly established he continued along the same line, keeping it close touch with public affairs. Mr. Perkins was a democrat. He at different times during his long career held public office, serving on the town school committee, board of relief and court of burials.

He was also identified with banking interests in Danielson. In everything with which he was connected he had the unbounded respect of his associates and he was everywhere considered a citizen of admirable qualities.

On April 11, 1887, at Old Trinity church, Church street, Brooklyn, Mr. Perkins was united in marriage with Miss Mary Putnam, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Putnam and a direct descendant of General Israel Putnam of Revolutionary fame. Mrs. Perkins survives her husband, with four children, Marietta, Belle, William E. and Helen, all of Danielson.

Mr. Perkins was one of the founders of St. Alban's Episcopal church and always actively interested in its welfare. He was a member of Moriah lodge, A. F. and A. M., of Danielson.

Elmer W. Chapman, 42, who died at the Norwich sanitarium, was brought here Tuesday morning for burial in Westfield cemetery. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. E. A. Legg of the Methodist church. A. F. Wood was in charge of the funeral arrangements.

The deceased was a son of William J. Chapman, who many years ago was engaged in the meat business in Danielson.

Joseph V. Passmore. At the church in Attawapung Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock there was a funeral service for Joseph V. Passmore, who died Saturday, Rev. E. A. Legg officiated. The services were sung by Miss Margaret Caffery and Lewis Aldrich. Miss Adams was organist. The bearers were Vincent Adams, John Russell, Joseph Dawley and William Welch. Burial was in the East Killingly cemetery. A. F. Wood was the funeral director.

Mrs. Mary E. Moffitt. At the Congregational church in Beckley, West Virginia, there was a funeral service, conducted by Rev. A. E. Kinnmouth, for Mrs. Mary E. Moffitt, who died in New York. The services were held at the home of Mrs. Moffitt in the South cemetery. The bearers were four brothers of Mrs. Moffitt, Charles, William, George and Clement. A. F. Wood was the funeral director.

Cotton made serge 36" wide—first grade half cotton, half worsted, 40 cents yard; second grade all cotton, 28 cents yard; both with crepe on hand; all retail. River Weaver Company, near State Armory, Danielson, Conn.—adv.

POSTAL SAVINGS DEPOSITS

Increase During Short Month of February—Total Now \$36,138.

February, the shortest month in the year, witnessed the rolling up of the largest increase in postal savings in the history of the service, according to figures just issued, and Danielson was one of the places that contributed to making it record the greatest increase in the country.

The gain in deposits at this office from January to February was \$1,196.15. The total of postal savings deposits at this office on March 1, 1917, was \$36,138.

NOT A HOME GUARD

Local Military Organization Prefers to Continue Independent.

From Lucien F. Burpee of the recently created military emergency board of the state, Captain E. L. Darbie, who is acting as instructor of the company that has been formed here to take military instruction and which has been granted the use of the state armory, has received an inquiry as to turning the company into a Home Guard organization, as recently authorized by act of the legislature.

This proposition will not be accepted, it was announced Tuesday. Many of the members of the organization, which is purely voluntary, are qualified for enrollment in the regular military service, and the requirements for home guard organizations. Then, again, many of the men who took part in the organization are now in the military service, and they are going into any branch of the service, they say, they are going with the militia companies. In any case, the home guard organization does not appeal to most of those who are in the new company here.

On Gilman Jury. Three Danielson men—Charles E. Bill, L. E. Young and Wilbur Purvis, were on the jury in the Gilman murder trial in the superior court at Putnam Tuesday.

First Selectman John A. Gilbert has sent out a call to military companies commanders to make a final close-up canvass of the work, and this is being done.

WILLMANTON

Leon A. Gilman, of Willimantic, Found Not Guilty, on Ground of Insanity, of Murdering Grandfather and Cousin—Nineteen Year Old Boy Sentenced to Insane Asylum For 60 Years—Alienists Agree That Gilman is Hopelessly Irresistible.

Found not guilty by a jury of a charge of murder in the first degree in the case of Leon A. Gilman, 19, of Willimantic, was ordered by Judge Greene in the superior court here Tuesday afternoon. He was acquitted on the ground of insanity.

Mr. Gilman had been indicted for the murder of his grandfather, Nelson Gilman, and his cousin, Edward E. Gilman, in the superior court here Tuesday afternoon. He was indicted for the murder of his grandfather, Nelson Gilman, and his cousin, Edward E. Gilman, in the superior court here Tuesday afternoon.

Prisoner Unmoved. Young Gilman heard the sentence without emotion. Except for the nervous shaking of his hands with a clastic hand which he held wound about the thumbs he betrayed no surmounting of his emotions. He was taken to the cell by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gilman, and his sister, Miss Irene, who went to him to see goodbye his eyes filled with tears, especially when his mother lovingly passed him on the arm, but he did not break down.

Deliberated 39 Minutes. The jury that heard the case was out just thirty minutes when a knock on the door of the jury room gave notice that the twelve men were ready to report. Young Gilman had been indicted for murder in the first degree by a grand jury for having shot and killed his cousin, Edward E. Gilman, and his grandfather, Nelson Gilman, during the early hours of November 11, 1916. The indictment being for murder in the first degree. He was not charged at Tuesday's trial with having caused the death of his grandfather, Nelson Gilman, by shooting him within an hour after the killing of Edward, the old gentleman living for a few days after the affair.

Verdict of Not Guilty. Judge Clarence Child of Woodstock, acting as foreman, reported for the jury, giving a verdict of "Not guilty on the ground of insanity."

In moving for sentence State Attorney Charles H. Sears said he felt that he had done his duty and that the majesty of the law had been upheld. He directed the attention of the court to the statute providing for the disposition of insane persons who have committed crimes such as Gilman had been tried for and said he believed he should be confined for a long period, so as to fully protect the public from any possible outbreak of his that might result in tragedy. Mr. Sears expressed sympathy for Gilman, and said that the case was a strange and sad one with many pathetic features.

Sentence Imposed. Following what he said he considered the intent of the statute and giving consideration to the testimony of the medical experts who described Gilman's mental ailment as dementia praecox, from which few, if any, persons recover, Judge Greene said he would order the prisoner committed to the Connecticut institution for the insane for a period of 60 years, which, in all probability, will be as long as Gilman lives.

Defendant's Counsel Pleads. Attorney P. J. Danahey, who represented Gilman, briefly addressed the court previous to the imposing of sentence.

One Juror Excused. At the outset of the case there was no difficulty in empanelling a jury. There were no challenges by either side and only one juror asked to be excused—County Commissioner John A. Dady, who had become quite familiar with the case during the period that Gilman had been held at Brooklyn jail. Judge Greene excused him.

Personal of Jury. The jury as finally drawn was made up as follows: C. Winfield Nokes, Louis Bonin, William Clark, J. A. Larkin, Brooklyn; George Larkham, Canterbury; Alfred Puze, L. E. Young, Chas. E. Bill, Danielson; Herbert A. Gallup, Plainfield; Arthur C. O'Brian, Pomfret; Joseph P. Carter, Scotland; and Elmer W. Chapman, Sterling; Clarence Child, Woodstock.

Father of Murdered Boy Testifies. The first witness was John Nelson Gilman, father of Edward E. Gilman, for whose death Leon A. Gilman was indicted.

Witness gave his residence as 148 Woodstock street, and testified that Leon Gilman came to his lunch cart on the night of Saturday, November 11, at 3:23, and sat down at the far end of the cart without having a word.

A few minutes later, Mrs. Gilman, wife of the witness came in and Leon spoke to her, speaking of a kiss he had had as the best ever. He told her he had been advanced to be a foreman of a force at the Hopkins B Allen plant in Norwich, where he had been working for several months as a tool-grinder.

Capt. Richmond Testifies. Captain Edgar H. Richmond of the Willimantic police was the next witness. He told of getting messages over the wire about the trouble at the Gilman place and of going there. From the house of Nelson, Jr., he went to the home of Nelson, Sr., and from there to the Franklin block, where Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gilman, parents of Leon, lived and where Leon was staying. Mrs. Gilman admitted him.

Leon Threatened Police Chief. Leon was in a bed room. When Captain Richmond started to enter the room Leon came out and pointing a revolver at the captain said: "I got two this morning; don't come a step nearer or I'll get you, too."

"Now don't be foolish, Leon," the captain said; "I want to talk to you." "Stay right where you are!" commanded Leon.

At this the captain appealed to Mrs. Gilman, knowing, he said, that the boy loved his mother. Then he stated to her that Leon was going to give her the revolver and she advanced to take it. All of this time Leon had the captain covered with the gun and was standing about six feet distant. Mrs. Gilman approached her son and snatched the revolver from his hand, then handing it to the witness. Leon was taken into custody.

Captain Richmond showed handkerchiefs that were picked up in the room of Edward Gilman. It was identified as belonging to Leon and laid in an exhibit A.

Prisoner Admitted Murders. The captain testified that Leon told him he had shot his cousin, Edward, and his grandfather, Nelson Gilman.

Coroner Reads Evidence. Coroner Arthur G. Bill, Danielson, was called to the witness stand and read from the testimony given by Leon A. Gilman at the inquest, held on the Sunday of the murder.

At this time Leon had testified that he came to the house of his grandfather Saturday evening at 7 o'clock. He went first to his home and talked with his mother, later came to the house with her, escorting her home and leaving the house again at about 10 o'clock. He went to the lunch cart of his uncle.

No Quarrel Between Cousins. Later he and his cousin, Edward, went to the Elks' carnival and he remained a party of friends until about midnight, when he parted with him at Park street. There was no quarrel between them.

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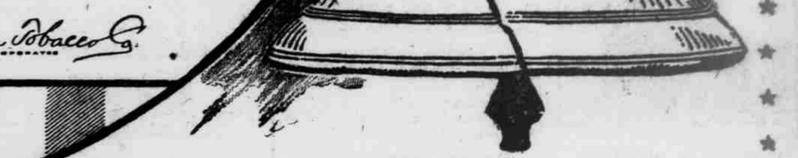
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Parlrested. There was no quarrel between them. How The Crime Was Committed. Got to his own home the testimony showed Gilman read and looked at magazine pictures until 2:45 a. m. Then he took his revolver and went to the home of his cousin, Edward, broke out a cellar window to gain access to the house and entered. On the first floor he removed his overcoat, hat and shoes and crept upstairs to his cousin's room. As he entered he saw Edward fast asleep in bed. Edward's face was toward him. Leon crept forward and held the muzzle of the revolver within a few inches of Edward's head and fired. The wounded man never moved or cried out, the testimony shows. Leon took his own handkerchief from his pocket and wiped from Edward's face the blood that poured over it. Later he threw this handkerchief upon the floor where it was found later by the police. Edward's parents were not awakened by the revolver shot and when they came to the room after remaining about the room for probably ten minutes Leon went down stairs, put in his shoes and coat and went out, heading for his grandfather's place.

Went to Grandfather's. Arrived there, he rang the bell and awakened his aunt. When she came to the door he said he wanted some brandy for his mother, who was ill. She snapped the catch off the spring lock on the door, so that he could come back when ready and shoot his grandfather. Receiving the brandy, he went to a nearby shed and waited for about 40 minutes. Then he re-entered the house, crept upstairs and shot his sleeping grandfather. As at the other home, the shot was not heard, and Leon made his way out without being detected, returning to his own home about 3:30 a. m.

Meant to Kill Himself. At the inquest Leon admitted to knower Bill that he intended to kill himself and spoke of a mental trouble that he had suffered with for more than a year. Under questioning by the coroner at the time of the inquest, Leon admitted that the manner in which his grandfather's will was drawn might have had something to do with his desperate act, but he at first denied that this was true.

Wrote a Letter. Asked as to what he did after he went home from his grandfather's the morning of the shooting, Leon told the coroner that he had given some time writing a letter and that he was engaged upon this writing when Captain Richmond came to arrest him. The letter was introduced as an exhibit. It read as follows:

Murderer's Letter to His Mother. Dear Ma: I know that you will not be surprised when you learn that I am mentally unbalanced, and as I know for a fact that there's no cure for one that's played the game and lost, so I have one consolation to make; the one on the other side never can say he ever got ahead of me, for I have managed to see that he is carried for.

Rather than see myself spend the remainder of my days—in an institution I'll prefer the grave. I hope above all that you don't worry over me, for I have never acted as a real son to you. I was prevented from making a success of myself by my own foolish idea which resulted in a failure for me. This world is a funny world and such cases are found the world over. (Signed) LEON.

Testified as to Autopsy. Dr. L. I. Mason was called and told of performing an autopsy on the body of Edward Gilman, reading to the jury from his notes taken at that time. These had to do mainly with the nature of the wounds.

Alienist's Evidence. Allen Ross, Diefendorf, specialist in nervous and mental diseases and an instructor at Yale, told of Leon's mental condition. He had been requested by Attorney Danahey to examine young Gilman. Since soon after the murder and up to January he had eight interviews with Leon. Dr. Diefendorf said it is his belief that the young man is suffering with that mental disease known as dementia praecox, from which few persons recover. "At first," said the doctor, "he appeared to have no concern over the tragedy or the sorrow that caused the crime because of certain delusions pertaining to himself. In my opinion he could not resist the insane impulse to commit crime."

Recalled to the stand after recess the doctor was asked a question by Attorney Danahey that brought this reply: "He has been given to an unusual practice and believes that this will relieve his 'brain pressure'."

Dr. Erdman in Accord With Specialist. Dr. Thomas F. Erdman, acting superintendent of the Norwich State Hospital, was called as the state's expert. His testimony was in agreement with that of Dr. Diefendorf as to Gilman's mental illness. "It is my belief," Dr. Erdman said, "that had he been in normal health, he would not have committed the crime. I believe he is not responsible for his behavior."

Funerals. James Bastic. The funeral of James Bastic took place from Most Holy Trinity church, Pomfret, on Tuesday. Rev. William P. Kennedy of Collinsville, nephew of the deceased, was celebrant of the mass; Rev. C. L. Cunningham of Providence, deacon; Rev. B. M. Donnelly sub-deacon, and Rev. John Ely, master of ceremonies. Wiegand's Mass was rendered by Messrs. Guertin, Elvard, Marnum and Glard and Miss Byrne, organist, from St. Mary's church, Putnam.

Josephine Gagne. Funeral services for Josephine Gagne, who died Sunday, were held at St. Mary's church Tuesday morning. Rev. C. F. Bedard, officiating. Burial was in St. Mary's cemetery.

Village Growing. The Manhasset village in the Meadow Street section continue to grow. New Houses are in various stages of construction and soon will be ready for occupancy.

The first business day of the Putnam Savings bank comes in April, the second day of the month, and deposits made on that day will draw interest from the first. Dividends will be payable after the third day—adv.

ORDERED TO NORWICH. Sentence of Edward Gay, of Eastford, Suspended.

In the superior court here Tuesday Edward Gay of Eastford pleaded guilty to assaulting Caro P. Latham, an officer who was engaged in the discharge of his duties, attempting to arrest George Moore. Gay was sentenced to serve six months in jail, but as he is suffering from tuberculosis his sentence was suspended and he was ordered committed to the state sanitarium at Norwich.

Savings Bank Deposits Increase. At the regular meeting of the board of trustees of Putnam Savings bank on Monday the report of the treasurer showed that deposits increased for the month both in amount and number. The number of new accounts opened by young people, on whom the future of the bank depends, proved especially gratifying. The customary dividend was declared payable at the usual time in April.

Personal Mention. Rev. William P. Kennedy, pastor of St. Patrick's church, Collinsville, attended the funeral of James Bastic in Pomfret and called on local friends, Tuesday.

Steamer Ashore on Hog Island. On Norfolk, March 20.—The whaleback steamer Bayview, owned in New York, is ashore on Hog Island with rudder gone, crew ashore and in need of immediate assistance. The coast guard cutter Yamacraw has been notified by radio. The vessel has no cargo.

Middletown.—Besides receiving one-half of the residuary estate, Rev. Joseph W. Barry, assistant rector of St. John's church in this city, gets a Buick automobile and \$1,000 in cash by virtue of the will of the late Mrs. Dora J. Smith, which was filed in the probate court recently.

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